

Honorable C. Douglas Dillon
Acting Secretary of State
Department of State
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Doug:

Many thanks for your letter of 18 September 1960 enclosing a copy of Bobby Cutler's memorandum of 9 September concerning some information on Cuba which you were so thoughtful to bring to my attention.

I read Bobby's memorandum with much interest and have passed it on to some of our people here who, I am sure, will also find it interesting.

Sincerely,

ALLEN W. DULLES

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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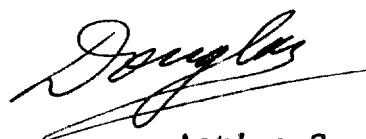
September 15, 1960

Dear Allen:

I think you and some of your people will be interested in the attached copy of a memorandum to me from Bobby Cutler, who was with me at the OAS Committee of 21 Meeting in Bogota. It is also being shown to the appropriate people in the State Department.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,



Acting Secretary

The Honorable

Allen W. Dulles,

Director, Central Intelligence Agency,

Washington 25, D. C.

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September 9, 1960
Bogota Conference

MEMORANDUM FOR THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE:

1. The Chief of the Panamanian Delegation, Sr. Eleta, who is also Panamanian Governor of the IADB, told me in confidence this morning that he had learned recently from a source he regarded as reliable that Cuba within 3 months would commence operations from a newly constructed 500,000 kw radio transmitter to be beamed at Central and South America. This emission would be so powerful that no existing Latin American station could jam it, nor did he understand that it could be jammed from the U.S.A.
2. Sr. Eleta stated that the Cuban resolution to be offered at this Conference (a \$30 billion Marshall Plan for Europe; the expropriation of land to be used for agricultural reform, without adequate compensation; the condemnation of the U.S.A. as an economic aggressor) were offered with full awareness of rejection; but to be later broadcast on the new transmitter, together with the rejection, as a means of attacking the OAS with the people.
3. Sr. Eleta said that in the past Sr. Boti, the Chief Cuban Delegate, had been a personal friend, that Boti had recently called on him for 3 hours, that he thought Boti was in a somewhat uneasy state of mind like someone who was not enjoying his work. Although his mention of Boti came in connection with what he stated in paragraph 1, he did not specifically attribute that information to Boti.

Robert Cutler
Member of US Delegation to
Bogota Conference

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